

DEPARTMENT OF POLICE CITY OF QUINCY

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It is with pleasure that I announce Sergeant Doug VanderMaiden's appointment to the rank of Deputy Chief of Police. He will be replacing Curt Kelty as the Deputy Chief of Operations, who is retiring. Deputy Chiefs are appointed by the Chief of Police with approval of the Fire and Police Commission. Sergeant VanderMaiden will take over the responsibilities of Deputy Chief of Operations at the end of the business day Friday July 11th. His actual promotion will take effect on Sunday, July 13, 2014.

Sergeant VanderMaiden is an 18-year veteran of the Quincy Police Department. He has been a Patrol Sergeant for 7 years. In addition to his normal duties, Sergeant VanderMaiden is the Field Training Officer Coordinator and a member of the Honor Guard. He has been an Emergency Response Team member for 15 years and the HBT Coordinator for 2 years. He was a member of the Street Crimes Unit. He was selected as Law Officer of the Year from the Fraternal Order of Eagles in 2000.

Sergeant VanderMaiden is a Quincy native. He has a Bachelor's Degree in Law Enforcement Administration from Western Illinois University. He attended Basic Police Training from the Police Training Institute in Champaign, IL.

Sergeant VanderMaiden and his wife, Kelly, have been married for 12 years. He has one daughter Kaitlyn and two sons, Gabe and Andrew.

Respectfully Submitted, Robert A. Copley Chief of Police